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AMEMBASSY PANAMA IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY LIMA IMMEDIATE

C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 205504

E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: NARCOTICS COOPERATION INITIATIVE: COCAINE
CONSPIRACY CASE

REF: A. STATE 192021 B. LA PAZ 6165

1. LEGAL TEAM HEADED BY LOUIS FIELDS, OF STATE DEPARTMENT
LEGAL ADVISER'S OFFICE DEPARTS FOR ADDRESSEE POSTS THURSDAY
AUGUST 19. TEAM CONSISTS OF LOUIS G. FIELDS, JR. ASST.
LEGAL ADVISER FOR SPECIAL FUNCTION PROBLEMS, KURT
MULLENBERGER, CHIEF, NARCOTICS SECTION, CRIMINAL DIVISION,
DEPT OF JUSTICE, ROBERT F. MCDERMOTT, JR., ASST. U.S.
ATTORNEY, EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA (PROSECUTING ATTOR-
NEY OF COCAINE CONSPIRACY CASE). DEA OFFICER FAMILIAR
WITH COCAINE CONSPIRACY CASE WILL PROBABLY JOIN TEAM IN
LA PAZ.

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FOR LA PAZ. AS PURPOSED IN REFTELS TEAM WISHES TO DISCUSS
COOPERATION IN PROSECUTING CONSPIRATORS IN COCAINE CASE
WITH APPROPRIATE GOB OFFICIALS AND TO SET COURSE OF ACTION.
PLEASE MAKE APPROPRIATE APPOINTMENTS.

FOR PANAMA: PURPOSE OF VISIT TO PANAMA IS TO GATHER
INFORMATION WHICH MAY BE AVAILABLE ON ARREST THERE OF
CARLOS PERIERA - MONTERGRO FOR USE IN PROSECUTING HIM IN
BOLIVIA WHERE HE IS NOW BEING HELD. TEAM NEED NOT BE MET
ON ARRIVAL BUT SAIC SHOULD TELEPHONE HOTEL EL SIESTA AT
10:00 A.M. FRIDAY. PLEASE MAKE RESERVATIONS AT EL
SIESTA.

FOR LIMA, PURPOSE OF VISIT TO LIMA IS TO CARRY OUT
PROGRAM PREVIOUSLY ARRANGED WITH ATTORNEY GENERAL NELSON
DIAZ-POMAR AND CONFIRMED DURING HIS VISIT HERE. DIAZ-
POMAR WILL RETURN LIMA ON MONDAY AUGUST 23, PLEASE CONTACT
HIM AND RECONFIRM ARRANGEMENTS.

2. TRAVEL SCHEDULE FOLLOWS:

FIELDS & MCDERMOTT ITINERARY

8-19 LV 2325 IAD BN 979

AR 0300 PTY (PANAMA CITY)

(RESERVATION - DOUBLE ROOM EL SIESTA NEAR AIRPORT)

8-22 LV 0410 PTY BN 979

AR 0930 LPB (LA PAZ)

8-24 LV 2240 LPB BN 978

AR 2320 LIM (RESERVATIONS 2 DOUBLE ROOMS SHERATON HOTEL)

8-29-LV 0005 LIM BN 974

AR 0725 MIA

MUELLENBERG

8-21 LV 10000 DCA EA 175

AR 211 MIA

LV 1245 MIA BN 909

AR 2115 (LA PAZ) KISSINGER

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